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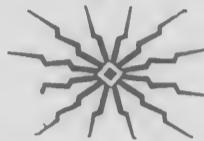
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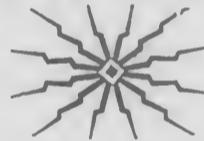


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AMUSEMENTS.

"WAY DOWN EAST."

The sale of seats for the matinee and night performance of "Way Down East" to-morrow opened yesterday morning with a rush and two large houses are already assured. The company played a two night engagement in Lexington on



Wednesday and Thursday, and the Lexington people praised the company and play unstintedly. It is really one of the most delightful plays before the public to-day, and no citizen of Paris should miss seeing it.

Gorton's famous minstrels will appear at the Grand next Tuesday. This company is said to be the most elegantly costumed minstrel organization travelling. The first part presents a most beautiful combination of colors, being draped in solid wine colored plush, with old gold trimmings, while the performers wear costumes of costly silks and satins, the whole forming a most beautiful and harmonious picture. The company possesses an excellent quintette of trained vocalists who render the latest ballads and selections. The instrumental music and the various high class specialties fully sustain the reputation of Gorton's minstrels, and there is no doubt of their being greeted with a crowded house.—Prices; 25, 50 and 75 cents.

Tall seven foot Chas. Pusey who is funny to look at, if he never spoke a line and little Bert St. John the two really humorous comedians will appear at the Grand on Thursday, January 16, with a company of ladies and gentlemen carefully selected from the best stock of entertainers known to the comedy world. Singers, dancers, comedians, comedieunes, character actors, acrobatic dancers, male and female will present one of the funniest of musical comedies, "A Run on the Bank." Its the play that made Ward and Vokes, two of the most famous comedians of the day, and many say in the hands of Pusey and St. John and their capable company, they out do the former Percy Harold and Company.

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The farce-comedy of "Two Married Men" attracted a good-sized audience at the Grand, on Tuesday night.

A curious fact has just come to light in regard to "A Capitol Comedy," which Mr. Tim Murphy is playing with so much success. The author is Paul Wilstach, and a cousin of his father's, that is, Mr. Wilstach's second cousin, Usomas Ustic Walter's, was the architect of the dome and two wings of the United States Capitol as they stand to-day and as they are pictured in the scenes of "A Capitol Comedy." Mr. Murphy will play an engagement in this city soon.

There are to be some good attractions at the Grand, in this city, during the last half of the season. Among them will be found, "Way Down East," on to-morrow afternoon (matinee) and night; Gorton's Minstrels, on next Tuesday night; A Run on the Bank, on Jan. 16; When We Were Twenty-One, on Jan. 20; A Bachelor's Honeymoon, on Jan. 24; Reaping the Harvest, on Jan. 27; King Dodo, on Jan. 31; A Ragtime Girl, on Feb. 5; Tim Murphy's Express, on Feb. 6; Two Merry Tramps, on Feb. 13; Uncle Hez, on Feb. 24; The Minister's Son, on Feb. 26; The Secret Entomist, on March 5; Tennessee's Pardner, on March 12; A Breezy Time, on March 24; Haverly's Minstrels, on March 27; Heart of Maryland, on April 4; Gus Sun's Minstrels, on April 14; Rabbit's Foot Comedy Co., on April 17; A Poor Relation, April 30.

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MOST POPULAR YOUNG LADY.

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The News Offers a Box Party to the Popular Comic Opera Success, to the Young Lady Winning the Contest.

Interest in the voting contest for the most popular young lady of Bourbon county, is still in evidence, and the votes are coming in by mail and handed into the office each day. Up to going to press last night there were something like 600 votes cast. There is a disposition on the part of a great many of our patrons to hold back their ballots in order to vote all of them at one time. They would confer a great favor by casting their votes each week, not later than Saturday, as it will save a great deal of time and labor in the count in this office.

Below will be found the particulars regarding the contest:

THE BOURBON NEWS offers a box, seating four persons, at the performance of the great comic opera success, "King Dodo," at the Grand Opera House in this city on January 31st, to the most popular young lady in Bourbon County. The contest is to be decided by a vote of the readers of the News, in conjunction with the patrons of the Opera House. From this issue up to and including Friday, January 24th, in each issue of the News will be printed the coupon below. All you have to do is to cut out the coupon, write the name of the young lady whom you think is the most popular in Bourbon County, and either mail it or leave it at this office.

At each performance given at the Opera House between now and the 31st every purchaser of a ticket will be given a coupon entitling him or her to a vote. This is a favor well worth trying for, for your favorite lady friend. The performance of "King Dodo" will without doubt be the society event of the season, and the privilege of giving a party to her friends will be a pleasure which any young lady will appreciate highly. The winner will be announced on Tuesday, January 28th. Cut out the following coupon, fill in the blank, and either leave it at the News office or send by mail:

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And lead me down to the Opal Sea,
Where lolls a boat on the languid tide—
Waiting for thee and me.

Dear Lady of Poppies, loose the sail,
Our course to the purple West is set,
And we are off for the beautiful isle—
The dreamy, mystical, marvelous Isle—
Where the sorrowful go to forget.

Dear Lady of Poppies, the wind is fair,
The beryl water is cool and deep,
And this boat that silverly rises and falls—
That rocks and trembles and lifts and falls—
Surely its name is Sleep!

And far away, through the purple mist,
The pearly shore of an island gleams,
Of an island kissed by the lips of the sea—
By the cool, wet, pleading lips of the sea—
The mystical island of Dreams.

—Ella Higginson, in Woman's Home Companion.

The Lost Continent

By CUTCLIFFE HYNE.

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CHAPTER I.—CONTINUED.

"It is one long story of success. She deposed Zaemon from his government in name as well as in fact, and the news was spread, and the Priestly clan rose in its wrath. The two neighboring governors were bidden to join forces, take her captive, and bring her for execution. Poor men! they tried to obey their orders; they attacked her surely enough, but in battle she could laugh at them. She killed both, and made some slaughter among their troops; and to those that remained alive and became her prisoners she made her usual offer—the sword or service. Naturally they were not long over making their choice: to these common people one ruler is much the same as another; and so again her army was re-enforced.

"Three times were bodies of soldiery sent against her, and three times was she victorious. The last was a final effort. Before, it had been customary to despise this adventurer who had sprung up so suddenly. But then the priests began to realize their peril, to see that the throne itself was in danger, and to know that if she were to be crushed they would have to put forth their utmost. Every man who could carry arms was pressed into the service. Every known art of war was ordered to be put into employment. It was the largest army, and the best equipped army that Atlantis had ever raised, and the Priestly clan saw fit to put in supreme command their general, Tatho."

"You!" I cried.

"Even myself, Deucalion. And mark you, I fought my utmost. I was not her creature then; and when I set out (because they wanted to spur me to the uttermost) the high council of the priests pointed out my prospects. The king we had known so long, was ailing and weakly old; he was so wrapped up in the study of mysteries, and the joy of closely knowing them, that earthly matters had grown nauseous to him; and at any time he might decide to die. The Priestly clan uses its own discretion in the election of a new king, but it takes note of popular sentiment; and a general who at the critical time could come home victorious from a great campaign, which moreover would release a harassed people from the constant application of arms, would be the idol of the moment. These things were pointed out to me solemnly and in full council."

"What! they promised you the throne?"

"Even that. So you see I set out with a high stake before me. Phoenice I had never seen, and I swore to take her alive, and give her to be the sport of my soldiery. I had a fine confidence in my own strategy then, Deucalion. But the old gods, in whom I trusted then, remained old, and taught me no new things. I drilled and exercised my army according to the forms you and I learned together, old comrade, and in many a tough fight found to serve well; I armed them with the choicest weapons we knew of then, with sling and mace, with bow and spear, with ax and knife, with sword and the throwing fire; their bodies I covered with metal plates; even their bellies I cared for, with droves of cattle driven in the rear of the fighting troops.

"But when the encounter came, they might have been men of steel, for all the harm they did. Out of her own brain Phoenice had made fire-tubes that cast a dart which would kill beyond two bowsights, and the fashion in which she handled her troops dazzled me. They threatened us on one flank, they harassed us on the other. It was not war as we had been accustomed to it. It was a newer and more deadly game, and I had to watch my splendid army eaten away as waves eat a sand-hill. Never once did I get a chance of forcing close action. These new tactics that had come from Phoenice's invention were beyond my art to meet or understand. We were eight to her one, and our close-packed numbers only made us so much the more easy for slaughter. A panic came, and those who could fled. Myself, I had no wish to go back and earn the ax that waits for the unsuccessful general. I tried to die there fighting where I stood. But death would not come. It was a fine mêlée, Deucalion, that last one."

"And so she took you?"

"I stood with three others, back to back, with a ring of dead round us,

and a ring of the enemy hemming us in. We taunted them to some on. But at hand-to-hand courtesies we had shown we could hold our own, and so they were calling for fire-tubes with which they could strike us down in safety from a distance. Then up came Phoenice. 'What is this to do?' says she. 'We seek to kill Lord Tatho, who led against you,' says she. 'A fine figure of a man, indeed, and a pretty fighter, seemingly, after the old manner. Doubtless he is one who would acquire the newer method. See, now, Tatho,' says she, 'it is my custom to offer those I vanquish either the sword (which, believe me, was never nearer your neck than now) or service under my banner. Will you make a choice?'

"'Woman,' I said, 'fairest that ever I saw,' finest general the world has ever borne, you tempt me sorely by your qualities, but there is a tradition in our clan that we should be true to the salt we eat. I am the king's man still, and so I can take no service from you.'

"The king is dead," says she. 'A runner has just brought the tidings, meaning to have fallen into your hands. And I am the empress.'

"Who made you empress?" I asked.

"The same most capable hand that has given me this battle," says she. 'It is a capable hand, as you have seen; it can be a kind hand, also, as you may learn if you choose. With the king dead, Tatho is masterless man now. Is Tatho in want of a mistress?'

"Such a glorious mistress as you, I said, 'yes.' And from that moment, Deucalion, I have been her slave. Oh, you may frown; you may get up from this seat and walk away if you will. But I tell you this: keep back your worst judgment of me, old friend, till after you have seen Phoenice herself in the warm and lovely flesh. Then your own ears and your own senses will be my advocates, to win me back your old esteem."

CHAPTER II.

BACK TO ATLANTIS.

The words of Tatho were no sleeping draught for me that night. I began to think that I had made somewhat a mistake in wrapping myself up so entirely in my government of Yucatan, and not contriving to keep more in touch with events that were passing at home in Atlantis. For many years past it had been easy to see that the mariner folk who did traffic across the seas spoke with restraint, and that only what news the empress pleased was allowed to ooze out beyond her borders. But, as I say, I was fully occupied with my work in the colony, and had no curiosity to pull away a veil intentionally placed. Besides, it has always been against my principles to put to the torture men who had received orders for silence from their superiors, merely that they shall break these orders for my private convenience.

However, the iron discipline of our Priestly clan left me no choice of procedure. As was customary, I had been deprived of my office at a moment's notice. From that time on, all papers and authority belonged to my successor, and, although by courtesy I might be permitted to remain as a guest in the pyramid that had so recently been mine, to see another sunrise, it was clearly enjoined that I must leave the territory then at the topmost of my speed and hasten to report in Atlantis.

Tatho, to give him credit, was anxious to further my interests to the utmost in his power. He was by my side again before the dawn, putting all his resources at my disposal.

I had little enough to ask him. "A ship to take me home," I said, "and I shall be your debtor."

"Not the navy, Tatho; one small ship. Believe me, more is wasted."

"Now, there," said Tatho, "I shall act the tyrant. I am viceroy here now, and will have my way in this. You may go naked of all possessions; that I cannot help. But depart for Atlantis unattended, that you shall not."

And so, in fine, as the choice was set beyond me, it was the Bear, Tatho's own private ship, with all the rest of his navy sailing in escort, that I did finally make my transit.

The voyage was very different to my previous sea-going. There was no creeping timidously along in touch with the coasts. We stood straight across the open gulf in the direction of home, came up with the banks of the Carib islands, and worked confidently through them, as though they had been sign-posts to mark the sea highway; and stopped only twice to replenish with wood, water and fruit. These commodities, too, the savages brought us freely, so great was their subjection, and in neither place did we have even the semblance of a fight. It was a great certificate of the growing power of Atlantis and her finest over-sea colony.

They boldly on we went across the vast ocean beyond, with never a

sacrifice to implore the gods that they should help our direction. One might feel censure towards those rugged mariners for their impetuosity, but one could not help an admiration for their lusty skill and confidence.

The dangers of the desolate sea are dealt out as the gods will, and man can only take them as they come. Storms we encountered, and the mariners fought them with stubborn endurance; twice a blazing stone from heaven hissed into the sea beside us, though without injuring any of our ships; and, as was unavoidable, the great beasts of the sea hunted us with their accustomed savagery. But only once did we suffer material loss from these last, and that was when three of the greatest sea-lizards attacked the Bear, the ship wherein I traveled, at one and the same time.

The shipmen faced the monsters with a sturdy courage. Arrows were useless against the smooth, bull-like hides. Even the throwing fire could not so much as singe them; nothing but 20 ax blows delivered on an attacking head together could beat it back, and even these succeeded only through sheer weight of metal, and did not make so much as the scratch of a wound.

During all time beasts have disputed with man the mastery of the

earth, and it is only in Atlantis and Egypt and Yucatan that man has dared to hold his own, and fight them with a mind made strong by many previous victories. In Europe and mid-Africa the greater beasts hold full dominion, and man admits his puny number and force, and lives in earth crannies and the higher tressels, as a fugitive confessed. And upon the great oceans the beasts are lords, unchecked.

Tatho looked at me curiously. "I do not know whether I admire you more or whether I pity. I do not know whether to be astonished or to despise. We had heard of much of your uprightness over yonder in Atlantis, of your sternness and your justice, but I swear by the old gods that no soul guessed you carried your fancy so far as this. Why, man, money is power. With money and the resources money can buy, nothing could stop a fellow like you; while without it you may be tripped up and trodden down irreversibly at the first puny reverse."

"The gods will choose my fate."

"Possibly; but for mine, I prefer to nourish it myself. I tell you with frankness that I have not come here to follow in the pattern you have made for a viceroyalty. I shall govern Yucatan wisely and well to the best of my ability; but I shall govern it also for the good of Tatho, the viceroy. I have brought with me here my navy of eight ships and a personal bodyguard. There is my wife, also, and her women and her slaves. All these must be provided for. And why indeed should it be otherwise? If a people is to be governed, it should be their privilege to pay handsomely for their prince."

"We shall not agree on this. You have the power now, and can employ it as you choose. If I thought it would be of any use, I should like to supplicate you most humbly to deal with leniency when you come to tax these people who are under you. They have grown very dear to me."

"I have disgusted you with me, and I am grieved for it. But even to retain your good opinion, Deucalion—which I value more than that of any man living—I cannot do here as you have done. It would be impossible, even if I wished it. You must not judge all men by your own strong standard; a Tatho is by no means a colossus like a Deucalion. And, besides, I have a wife and children, and they must be provided for, even if I neglect myself."

"You have changed, Tatho, with the years, and perhaps I have changed also. These alterations creep imperceptibly into one's being as time advances. Let us part now, and, forgetting these present differences, remember only our friendship of 20 years ago. That for me, at any rate, has always had a pleasant savor when called up into the memory."

Tatho bowed his head. "So be it," he said.

"And I would still charge myself upon your bounty for that ship. Dawn cannot be far off, now, and it is not decent that the man who has ruled here so long should walk in daylight through the streets on the morning after his dismissal."

"So be it," said Tatho. "You shall have my poor navy. I could have wished that you had asked me something greater."

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Still here, upon this desolate sea, although the giant lizards were new to me, it was a pleasure to pit my knowledge of war against their brute strength and courage. Ever since the first men did their business upon the great waters, they fulfilled their instincts in fighting the beasts with desperation. Hiding cowardly in a hole was useless, for if this enemy could not find men above decks to glut them, they would break a ship with their paddles, and so all would be slain. And so it was recognized that the fight should go forward as desperately as might be, and that it could only end when the beasts had got their prey and had gone away satisfied.

It was in a one-sided conflict after this fashion then, that I found myself, and felt the joy once more to have my thwets in action. But after my ax had got in that dozen lusty blows, which, for all the harm they did, might have been delivered against some city wall, or, indeed, against the ark of the mysteries itself, I sought about me till I found a lance, and with that made very different play. The eyes of these lizards are small, and set deep in a bony socket, but I judged them to be vulnerable, and it was upon the eyes of the beast that I made my attack. The decks were slippery with the horrid slime of them. The crew surged about in their battling, and, moreover, constantly offered themselves as a rampart before me by reason of Tob, the captain's threats. But I gave a few shrewd proges with the lance to show that I did not choose my will to be overridden, and presently was given room for maneuver.

(To Be Continued.)

HONORED THE FLAG OF TRUCE

How the Late Prince Bismarck Was Overruled by the Old German Emperor.

The Paris Figaro contains some interesting revelations concerning the private opinions of the late President Faure, of France, and recently turned to the "Schaebele affair," in which it is shown how Prince Munster de Derneburg averted what threatened to be another war between France and Germany. Schaebele was arrested 15 years ago by a German detective named Gantsch on the French-German frontier. The difficulties which followed this arrest produced a war scare in Europe.

According to M. Herbet, France's attorney general, Schaebele had been arrested on French territory was bitterly contested by Prince Bismarck. At this point of the proceedings a letter from Gantsch to Schaebele summoning the latter to a conference was found. This letter was immediately sent to M. Herbet, French ambassador to Berlin, but the latter had found Prince Bismarck so inflexible disposed that he hesitated to intrust such an important document to his tender mercies. At this juncture Prince Munster de Derneburg, who was visiting in Berlin, called upon M. Herbet, saying he ardently desired the maintenance of peace, and offering to aid the French minister. When he was shown the Gantsch letter the German diplomat said:

"Give it to me; confide it to me; I will bring it back at three o'clock."

M. Herbet hesitated to turn over the letter. Prince Munster demanded the original. M. Herbet finally consented and intrusted France's trump card to the German ambassador at Paris.

Prince Munster went to Prince Bismarck and showed him the Gantsch letter. Bismarck angrily asked the diplomat what business he had to attend to M. Herbet's commissions. Munster firmly replied that he had only come to warn Bismarck, and that he was going to show the letter to the emperor of Germany. This he did. The emperor read the letter carefully and said:

"Then Schaebele was under a flag of truce. If we do not release that man no one will ever dare to send a flag of truce into a Prussian camp. He must be released. I will at once give the order, and you can tell Herbet what I have done."

A few hours later Bismarck set Schaebele at liberty, and the war cloud rolled away.

The Intellect.

The "play" of the intellect, to use a vacation pun, constitutes the delight of learning, and is often its truest inspiration. A young girl at a hotel table, some years ago, undertook to quiet a restless child by making for him little figures which she modeled from bread crumbs rubbed between her fingers. The rapidly growing procession of Noah's ark animals attracted the attention of a gentleman opposite. It was the sculptor Thomas Ball, who afterward told the girl she had unusual talent for modeling from bread crumbs.

The shipmen faced the monsters with a sturdy courage. Arrows were useless against the smooth, bull-like hides. Even the throwing fire could not so much as singe them; nothing but 20 ax blows delivered on an attacking head together could beat it back, and even these succeeded only through sheer weight of metal, and did not make so much as the scratch of a wound.

During all time beasts have disputed with man the mastery of the

TRADES WIFE FOR MACHINE.

A New York Farmer Sells His Bride of One Short Year to His Brother.

Edward Chilton, of Herman, St. Lawrence county, N. Y., who was married less than a year ago to Mamie Cramer, has traded off his wife for an interest in a threshing machine and other chattels, with some cash to boot.

After the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Chilton lived in the village until this fall, when they moved on one of the farms owned by George Babbitt. Harry Chilton, a brother of the husband, went to work on the farm and worked until Tuesday. Then the brothers settled accounts. Harry paid Ed some money, and personal effects which could not be easily moved, such as an interest

"NOTHING BUT LEAVES."

Good-by, bright leaves! Poor, pretty, useless things!
Your scarlet robes are soiled and trampled now;
Awhile—ah, such a little while—you laughed
And danced, upheld by yonder sturdy bough.
And then—he tired of you, and let you go; You chug and pleaded, but you fell at last,
Shivering and shrinking from the unknown fate.
With ne'er a hand to help you as you passed.

Ah, mystic world! Not yours the fault,
poor leaves,

That you and neither flower, nor fruit,
nor seed;

Nor 'e'en restraining rootlet, still to hold
For you a place, in winter time of need.

I hear your wailing voices, as you that

To your dark rest: "Have I not done my part?"

I kept the fleece, hot rays from tender lives

Of those who do not heed my breaking heart!

"And even in my misery and death

In some strange way I feel, but know not how,

To other years some richness I shall give,

Some essence of the bloom on vine and bough."

But now the scornful world has blown you on,

And heaven's bright tears fall from the household eaves

Upon you, and your little life is o'er—

The fate of all the lost and fallen leaves.

—Fannie Barber Knapp, in Chicago Inter Ocean.

Story of a Worthless Fellow ♦ ♦ ♦

By JOHN H. Raftery.

If THERE are any sufficient reasons why a married man should go into the army, Louis Tappan had them. His five years of married life had been a cumulative failure and he knew it. What was more important, however, his young wife knew and charged the whole score of their mutual disappointment to him. Their one child, now a teething baby, had not healed their chafed spirits nor brought together their wandering hearts. Mrs. Tappan was a good little woman, so good that she neither sympathized with nor understood Louis' puerile ways, his passions for excitement, his slavery to habits that were neither necessary to her happiness nor warranted by his slender means, even in the days when he earned a good salary as bookkeeper for the Buena Vista bank.

Her father owned the little town where they lived, but he was one of those stern men who, having made their own way in the world, would discourage and resent the idea that they should give aid to others in the fight for independence or wealth. When Louis married Lucy Harding he admitted to himself that the old bank president was a "grouch," but in those days his self-confidence was not shaken by the prospect of working out a way for himself and Lucy. For a year he carried out his good resolutions, and even won a measure of Mr. Harding's grudging regard. During that year the young people were fairly happy. The entering wedge of misery came when it dawned on Lucy that Louis didn't have any religion and couldn't "get" any. When he heard that she "had him prayed for" he lost his temper and they had their first quarrel.

After that his descent was rapid. They drifted further and further apart. The boy (he was only 23) lost his grip on good resolves and slid along the smooth and winsome current of his old, free habits. The row with Harding didn't come till the second year, but after that Louis' place in his father-in-law's bank became precarious. The old man warned, threatened and even persecuted him in the mistaken belief that he could scare the young husband back into the narrow path. But Louis didn't scare worth a cent. Long before the baby came he was in debt, neck and crop. His wife was getting morose and quarrelsome, and his creditors were beginning to talk about "going to the old man." Even that didn't move the rascal. He began to think that he was the martyr of an unhappy marriage, that Lucy didn't understand him and that her father was determined to break up a union that he had never approved. When a man gets to coddling himself with such assurances he's in a bad way. And Louis was in a bad way even before the grocer, who was a deacon in Harding's church, made what Louis called "a holler" about his bill.

That settled the young man with Papa Harding. A month's notice, a threat of starvation and a mumbled imprecation were what the bookkeeper got with his next pay envelope. After he was out of his position he made a few feeble efforts to find work; he made a trip to Chicago, and in a weak way determined to take his wife and make a home for himself elsewhere. But somehow the world seemed to have suddenly grown very narrow and selfish. His comrades of dissipated days and nights couldn't help him further than to "hope the old man will come round all right," and buy another drink. Harding didn't come round. He ignored his son-in-law when they met on the street, and only when the child was born did he insist on taking charge of Lucy. After she was taken to the Harding home Louis' heart began to fail him. He discovered that he was fond and apt to grow fonder of the child—a boy. Broken in spirit and pocket, he swore he'd mend his ways and find work. But there was none. He went to Chicago, met an old companion, forgot his troubles for a night and a day and came to his dreary senses in the blue, ill-fitting uniform of a "rookie."

He had a vague idea that he would "win his way" as a soldier in the war which had just begun; visions of com-

ing home a stern and famous officer—captain at least—crowded his oysterish mind, and with his hopes there mingled, stinging sweet, the sense that at last he might have brought home to Lucy and her people a realization of the fact that he was not all bad. He even imagined the old "grouch" pitying him, and in the thought was the grim satisfaction that now at least he had martyred himself. He swore softly to himself that he would never drink nor gamble again, and when he left for Chickamauga with his regiment he had not fallen from grace.

A scribbled note on a postal card telling Lucy that he was "gone into the army" was all they heard about him at Buena Vista for three years after that. The Hardings read all the war news with eager curiosity at first, hoping to get some news of Louis, but their interest waned again and again, to be faintly renewed with the actual beginning of the fight. But there was not a word about Louis, not even his name among the wounded, sick or dead, much less notice of his gallantry or promotion. Not until the Cuban and earlier Philippine campaigns had it vindicated down into intermittent skirmishes in far parts of the islands did there come a hint that he was yet on earth. Then just a line in the list of "dead frost, disease:"

"Tappan, private company K. Twenty-third infantry; dysentery."

And there ended the career of Louis Tappan, the worthless young man of Buena Vista. *

The station agent at Culver, ten miles below Buena Vista on the Louisville & Nashville, saw the last train "hesitate" at his door, and was going out his key to lock up when a well-dressed, swarthy young man with a small bag dropped off the rear coach and approached him.

"This is Culver, isn't it?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do you know where Mrs. Tappan, Mrs. Louis Tappan, lives?"

"Don't live here, leastways not in town. I know 'em all. No Tappans and nothing like that name round here. I'm pretty sure."

"Moved here from Buena Vista," suggested the stranger, wistfully; "moved up about a year ago."

"Oh, hold on! Tappan—oh, her name ain't Tappan no more. She's married to Bill Chesebrough. They was married at Buena Vista a year ago, and come up here to live. Sure I—"

The stranger coughed a few times, looked up and down the tracks, and then:

"Her first husband, Patten, laffin—"

"Tappan," murmured the uneasy visitor.

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"No-o," mused the visitor, half alond, and fumbling in his pocket, "I guess I won't go up; I—what did you say her first name was, Lucy?"

"Yes, that's her. She was Miss Lucy

Harding, daughter of old 'Skinflint'

Harding, down to Buena Vista, richer'n hell and meaner still. He—"

"Yes, I know," was the interruption.

"but you're going past the house, her house?"

"Yep."

"Would you mind stepping in with this?" handing over a photograph. "It's a picture of Tappan for the boy, his boy. You see, we, Tappan and I, were in the same regiment, and when he got sick, he asked me to—for the boy, you know; his daddy's picture. I promised to give it to him."

"Oh, the Tappan kid; the one by her first husband, he—"

"Yes, that's the one. How is he? Does he look like—"

"Oh, that one died the first week they come here, diphtheria got him. He just—"

But the newcomer was out of earshot before the station agent could finish. Down the tracks he went toward the east, walking like a fury, with his head down and his little bag swinging in the dim light of the yard lamps till the night swallowed him.

The station agent whistled a note of wonder, looked at the photograph he yet held in his hand, saw it was of a young soldier standing bravely at salute, and turned it over. On the back was written:

"For Louis Tappan's little boy."

The station agent shoved it into his overcoat pocket.

"I'll bet that chap was a bug," he mused, as he walked toward Chesebrough's house, "but I guess I'd better give the picture to Mrs. Chesebrough. Come on, come to think of it, I guess I'd better not. Tappan is dead, the kid is dead and old Bill Chesebrough is jealous as an old maid."

He tore the photograph into small bits after another look and flicked the pieces into the air as he walked homewards.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Crabs and Poached Eggs.
Toast rather thin slices of bread a nice brown; butter slightly and cover with half an inch of crabmeat; place in the oven and heat thoroughly. Have some eggs nicely poached in rings, one for each slice. Lift from the water onto the crab meat and serve very hot.—Washington Star.

A Matrimonial Suggestion.
London newspaper men are afraid that American women journalists are going to crowd them out of business. Why, asks the Chicago Record-Herald, don't they execute a coup by marrying the lady journalists?

Spelling Food Our Way.
Ship loads of potatoes are arriving at New York from Ireland, Scotland and Belgium. Evidently, says the Chicago Record-Herald, all the work doesn't propose to get all its food from Uncle Sam all the time.

A NOTED PHYSICIAN
Makes an Important Statement of Interest to All Women.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—The honest, intelligent physician is above the 'School.' Whatever is best in each case should be used, no matter to what school a physician belongs. I, as a matter of conscience, can only pre-

Sure Sign of a Small Man.
"I can always tell a man who thinks he's great," said a commercial traveler facetiously, "by the way he speaks of other great men. For instance, when he alludes to the president as 'Teddy,' to Chief Justice Fuller as 'Mel' Fuller or to Senator Cullom as 'Shelly,' I know he must be something of a person, at least in his own estimation. Such fellows, I imagine, had they lived in Egypt at the time of the exodus, would have spoken of 'Moses' and 'Josh' as familiarly as if they were everyday companions."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Just Like Her.

Mrs. Bombazine—O, I never have any trouble in spelling correctly; but I'll admit that I make a mistake now and then through carelessness.

Mrs. Blunt—Yes; I remember the funny mistake you made in asking for a berth in the sleeping car.

"How did I spell it? 'Berth?'—"Boston Transcript.

The Peruna Almanac.

The druggists have already been supplied with Peruna almanacs. There is sure to be a great demand for these almanacs on account of the articles on astrology which they contain. The subject of astrology is a very attractive one to most people. The articles on astrology in the Peruna almanac have been furnished by a very competent astrologist, and the mental characteristics of each sign given, constituting almost a complete horoscope. A list of lucky and unlucky days for each month are given. There will be a great rush for these books. Ask your druggist for one early before they are all gone.

His Preference.

Head of Foreign Missionary Bureau—Where would you prefer to locate as a missionary?

Young Missionary—Well, if possible, where the natives are vegetarians.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Best for the Bowels.

No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. Cascarets help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce easy, natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start, getting your health back. Cascarets Candy Cathartie, the genuine, put up in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.

Bu Few Experts.

The life work of most of us consists in making a living, and it is deplorable how comparatively few experts there are in the business.—Puck.

Half Rate to the Inauguration.

Account of the Inauguration of Governor Nelson W. Cole, of Ohio, on January 13th, we will sell tickets from all points in Ohio at half rates. Tickets on sale January 12th and 13th, good returning to and including January 14th.

Its Name.

"Miss Frocks has bought a birdless hat," said Mrs. Cumso. "It might be called an Audubonnet, might it not?" asked Mrs. Cawker.—Judge.

Unavoidable Delay.

"What made you so late?" "I came up in my automobile, and paused here three times before I could manage to stop." Smart Set.

Stops the Cough and Works on the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Price 25c.

The greatest problem we know of is how to get your back and front warm at the same time.—Atchison Globe.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

Cochs a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not play off-side.—Wrinkle.

Cure your cough with Hale's Honey of Horseradish and Tar. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

There is no cement that will repair broken promises.—Chicago Daily News.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES colormore goods, per package, than any other.

At times all of us insist on being miserables.—Atchison Globe.

The lightning calculator is merely a figure-head.—Chicago Daily News.

Opportunities Wasted.

She was entertaining the assembled company with an account of their first quarrel and how, after making it up with one another, her husband had planted a tree in remembrance of it.

"If we had only done that," whispered the minister's wife to her husband, "what a splendid avenue we might have had!"—Stray Stories.

Real Pleasure.

Her Father—Aha! I caught you kissing my daughter, sir! What do you mean by that sort of business?

He—I don't consider it business at all, sir, but pleasure, merely pleasure.—Philadelphia Press.

Most Important, to Us.

Teacher—Tell me some of the most important things existing to-day which did not exist 100 years ago.

Tommy—Us.—Stray Stories.

The most bitter arguments are those in which neither person has any definite information in regard to the subject.—Puck.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Have You Rheumatism? Do You Have Bladder or Uric Acid Trouble?

Pain or dull ache in the back is unmistakable evidence of kidney trouble. It is Nature's timely warning to show you that the track of health is not clear.

If these danger signals are unheeded, more serious results are sure to follow; Bright's disease which is the worst form of kidney trouble may steal upon you.

The mild and the extraordinary effect of the world-famous kidney and bladder remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. A trial will convince anyone—and you may have a sample bottle free, by mail.

Backache and Urinary Trouble.

Among the many famous investigated cures of Swamp-Root one we publish this week for the benefit of our readers, speaks in the highest terms of the wonderful curative properties of this great kidney remedy.

DR. KILMER & CO., Binghamton, N. Y.

GENTLEMAN.—When I wrote you last March for a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, my wife was a great sufferer from rheumatism of the urinary tract. After trying the sample bottle, she bought a large bottle here at the drug store

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The thirteen Republicans in the Kentucky Senate are firm believers in the unlikelihood of that number.

CHAIRMAN LOUD, of the House Committee on Postoffices, says one-cent letter postage would result in an annual deficit of \$35,000,000.

CONGRESS re-convened Monday, and Tuesday the Kentucky Legislature assembled. Quite sufficient unto every day are the evils thereof.

THE General Assembly convened Tuesday and was organized without incident, the Democratic caucus nominees having been elected in every instance.

THE publication in Sunday's Courier-Journal of half-tones of the various handsome State capitol buildings made old Kentucky look like "thirty cents" in comparison.

THE Goebel Reward Commission met at Frankfort, Tuesday, to pass on the claims of persons who are asking to share in the reward for the conviction of Hener E. Yontsey.

THE man who is doing the best work towards the return of the Democratic party to power is Hon. Theodore Roosevelt. He has only to keep it up to make the next President a Democrat.

THERE is a story going the rounds that Gen. Basil Duke saved the life of Gov. Durbin, of Indiana, during the war. If it is true the General owes another apology to the people of Kentucky.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

THE chair occupied by the Speaker of the House of Representatives cost \$321. It is not surprising that its occupant should unconsciously come to imagine he is seated on a throne and render automatic decisions occasionally.

THE Hon. Jim McKenzie is ill with pneumonia, and he may die; at any rate, he will die some time, and then some of the papers can claim a vindication for their obituary notice that was extended to him some years ago.

IT is understood that State Senator Harris will introduce a bill early in the legislative session providing for the submission to the voters of an amendment to the Constitution to abolish the Australian ballot system and to return to the viva voce method of voting.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT advised a young college student who called on him recently not to try to be President, but make every effort to be captain of his football team. Judging from his recent treatment of Gen. Miles, the President is exceedingly better fitted for a position of that character himself than the one he now holds.

THE General Assembly of 1902, the first in the Twentieth century, was convened Tuesday at noon. The Senate and the House of Representatives were organized without a hitch, but not without many tedious hours of balloting, it being necessary, of course, to call the roll for each office.

GOV. BECKHAM'S message was presented to the General Assembly, Tuesday. He reviews State affairs and institutions in the way of legislation. He urges provision for the erection of a new Capitol and recommends an appropriation for a Kentucky exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis.

In the race for Enrolling Clerk of the House of Representatives, Miss Margaret Ingels, of this city, was defeated, receiving only 12 votes. She was nominated by Hon. A. S. Thompson, representative from this county. Miss McDonald, of Franklin county, was elected. She is the daughter of the late Pat. McDonald, of Frankfort.

IT would seem that there are enough preachers in each branch of the Kentucky Legislature to provide the opening prayers, thus saving the expense of employing the Frankfort ministers in that service. It is a question, however, whether the prayers of those who step down from the pulpit to engage in politics would rise to the requirements.

Council for defense in the case of Jim Howard accused of complicity in the Goebel murder, moved for a continuance on the ground that several important witnesses were absent. The defense filed an affidavit setting forth the testimony expected of the absent witnesses. The Commonwealth is ready or trial and will insist that there be no further delay.

The Historian of The Cincinnati Post, in an article in connection with Cincinnati's founding, says: "A company of Kentuckians headed by Colonel Patterson and John Filson, on September 22nd, 1773, came down the Ohio from Limestone, Ky., Maysville, Ky., and founded Lexington, which legally became Cincinnati in 1802. In 1888 the Centennial of the first settlement was celebrated by a great industrial exhibition at Music Hall."

CUPID'S ARROW.

Wm. Thornton, of Fayette county, and Miss Nora Jones, of Bourbon, were married in this city, yesterday, by Rev. Father E. A. Burke.

On Wednesday, Clerk Ed D. Paton issued a marriage license to Mr. Wm. H. Davis and Miss Mary Elizabeth Longbottom, both of this county.

A. A. Powell, a traveling salesman, who is 7 feet 7 inches in height, and known as the "Kentucky giant," was married last week to Miss Mattie Kerlin, of Oldham county. The height of the bride is 4 feet 5 inches.

Rufus Lisle and Miss Lizzie Winn, of Winchester, were married Friday afternoon, the Rev. Lloyd Darsie, of Paris, officiating. The attendants were Nick Winn, of that place, and Miss Annie Bruce McClure, of Paris. The bridegroom is an officer of the Winchester Bank, and the bride is daughter of W. P. Winn, a prominent merchant of Winchester.

The marriage of Miss Effie Huffman and Dr. James M. Bronough was celebrated at noon Tuesday at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Josephine Huffman, the Rev. I. J. Spencer officiating. The bride is one of the most beautiful and talented of Lexington's girls. Dr. Bronough is a native of Lincoln county, and is a son of Mr. Reuben Bronough, of the well-known Kentucky family of that name. After the ceremony the couple left for Parcell, I. T., where they will make their home.

Confederate Notes.

Col. E. W. Ayres, an old-time newspaper correspondent and Confederate veteran, dropped dead at Washington. He was a member of the Richmond Blues, the military company which attended the hanging of John Brown, of Harper's Ferry fame.

A bill of much interest to ex-Confederate soldiers was favorably acted upon by the House Committee on War Claims. It provides for paying former Confederate soldiers for horses, bridles, saddles and sidearms taken from them in violation of the terms of surrender made by Gens. Lee and Johnson with Gens. Grant and Sherman. The bill was introduced by Representative Padgett, of Tennessee.

Jake Sandusky, of Lexington, is certainly getting ready for another "nigger war." The Herald says he has an antiquated flint-lock, bearing evidences of great age. It is more than a foot long and brass mounted. The stock is of wood and extends the length of the barrel, which is six or more inches in length. The bore is smooth and carries a ball as large as the end of a man's thumb. The barrel bears the inscription, "Lieberville, France, 1857."

Miss Mildred Lee, daughter of Gen. Robert E. Lee, recently attended a session of the Virginia Legislature and the Senate took five minutes recess in order that the Senators might have an opportunity of meeting her.

STOCK AND CROP.

Mr. Freeman, of Virginia, has bought the Clay farm, near Millersburg, paying \$30,000 cash. Mr. Freeman married Miss Rebecca Hall, of Blue Licks, a cousin of Squire Alf Ball, Millersburg.

Forsythe & Curry, of Burgin, bought 3,000 bushels of wheat at that place at 90 cents a bushel.

In Clark county, Tom Hall and John Clark sold their crop of about 10,000 pounds of tobacco for \$8.75 per hundred pounds.

The Maysville tobacco fair will be held Feb. 22. Gov. Beckham and Ex-Gov. Bradley will be among the speakers.

A Shelby county hogshead of new bright leaf tobacco was sold in Louisville at \$15.50, the highest price so far of the new crop.

The Chicago markets are over-stocked with rabbits. They are selling at 3 cents apiece.

The past few days have been very hard on wheat.

Enoch Wishard paid \$13,000 for the 3-year-old colt Runnels, by Charade, dam Zingara.

It is estimated that the boll weevil destroyed 242,000 bales of cotton in Texas last year.

The western turf war is over, and every race track in this section will be under the control of the Western Jockey Club hereafter.

Mr. L. C. Bond, of McBrayer, says the trouble with cattle that are alleged to be dying with corn stalk disease is that they were not supplied with plenty of water and salt. He thinks if the cattle have access to these no more losses would occur from the corn stalk disease.—Advocate.

Oakland Baron, 209½, and 165 other fine horses, will be sold at auction January 27th to satisfy a \$500,000 shortage of his owner, John McGeehan who was manager of the Philadelphia Brewing Company.

The Hereford Bull, Perfection was sold at auction in Chicago on Tuesday for \$9,000, the highest price in recent years for a bull or cow of any breed.

You Do, or You Don't Need Glasses :

The eye being a rather delicate organ, great care should be exercised in the election of proper glasses. Many believe that glasses should be resorted to only when the sight becomes so defective as not to be able to do without. This is a great mistake which must be combatted. Whenever there is unmistakable evidence of the need of their aid, they should be used. A neglect of this rule sometimes produces mischief which results in serious trouble if the course be persisted in.

Our Dr. C. H. BOWEN having just returned from taking a special course in Optics from one of the best specialists in New York, is prepared to do the best of work, having the latest improved methods of fitting. Examinations free. Next visit Wednesday, Jan. 8, 1902

A. J. WINTERS & CO. JEWELERS. Hello, 170

Dr. Bowen at A. J. Winters & Co., 2nd and last Wednesday in each month.

AN ORDINANCE.

Providing For the Reduction of the Boundries of the City of Paris by Striking Therefrom Certain Terri- tory:

WHEREAS, The necessary written petition of twenty-five voters, and resident taxpayers of this city, has been received by this Board, requesting this Board to pass the necessary ordinance providing for the striking from the boundaries of this city, certain territory theretofore fully described:

WHEREFORE, Be it Ordained by the Board of Council of the City of Paris,

SECTION I.—That the following territory be stricken from the boundaries of the City of Paris, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone corner to Jas. E. Clay, then S. 58 ½, E. 29 61 poles in line of said fence and corner to Jas. E. Clay and Paris Water Co.; then with line of said Water Co., N. 30° degrees, 31 E. 15.38 poles to North Corner of Paris Water Co., then with another of their lines S 59 degrees, 30 E. 20.06 poles to low water mark of Stoner Creek; then with low water mark of Stoner Creek as it means N. 29 4, E. 14.38 poles to S. 19, E. 16 poles to 6; then N. 1 ½, W. 13 poles to 7; then N. 10 ½, W. 12 poles to 8; then N. 37 1-3, W. 14 poles to 9; then N. 37 ½, W. 5.40 poles to a corner set in water's edge of said Stoner Creek; then leaving said Stoner Creek, containing about 14 acres of land.

SECTION II.—That this ordinance shall be in effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Attest: A. C. ADAM, Clerk.

Dated 9th January, 1902

GENERAL NEWS.

Peter Honk, of New York, is the only surviving veteran of the war of 1812. He went in as a lad of thirteen and is now one hundred and one years old.

A separate coach law will be introduced at the coming session of the Maryland Legislature and its provisions will apply to steamboats as well as railway trains.

A Mississippi Judge has decided that a negro's head is a deadly weapon. It was not generally supposed that this fact needed judicial determination.

Give a horse what water he will drink and he will live twenty-five days without food; he will live seventeen days without food or drink and only five days with food and deprived of water.

STATE NEWS.

Work was begun this week on a stave factory at Junction City, which is being built by local investors. The company will have its plant ready for operation by the middle of February. The plant will have a capacity of 8,000 staves per day and 800 sets of heading.

The junk warehouse of J. J. McCormick, in Lexington, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The loss was about \$8,000 covered by insurance. The fire is thought to have originated in the office where a fire was left in the stove.

President McCarty has named a special committee to represent the Kentucky Press Association in matters legislative at Frankfort this winter.

The high price of corn and the scarcity of pure, straight Kentucky whisky will, it is said, advance the price of the latter at a remarkable rate.

Horace Kink, while chopping wood at Mt. Sterling, accidentally cut his little brother, Clarence, opening the skull and causing a dangerous wound.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 9, 1902.

R. S. Porter, Grand Opera House, Paris, Ky.

"Way Down East" opened here last night to the capacity of theatre, and gave a magnificent performance. The new scenery which was sent on from New York is the finest ever used for this play.

CHAS. SCOTT,
Mgr. Lexington Opera House.

Don't Live Together.

Constipation and health never go together. DeWitt's Little Early Risers promote easy action of the bowels without distress. "I have been troubled with constipation nine years," says J. O. Greene, Depauw, Ind. "I have tried many remedies but Little Early Risers give best results." —W. T. Brooks.

PUBLIC SALE

OF Stock, Crop and Farm implements, &c.

I will sell to the highest bidder, at Hillburn Stock Farm, on Green & Hill Turnpike, 3 miles Northwest of Center-ville, on

JANUARY 15, 1902, at 10 o'clock sharp:

1 Combined Mare, in foal to Glen Brook;

1 Harrison Chief Mare, in foal to Jack;

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1 2-year-old Filly, by Kentucky Squirl;

1 2-year-old Filly, by Cromwell Eagle;

1 2-year-old Filly, by Young Jim;

2 Extra Jacks, one 4 in Spring and other 2 in Spring—the 4-year-old is well broke in every particular;

5 Jennets, 2 with colts, all in foal;

3 Good Work Mules;

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6 Jersey Cows, giving milk, and in calf;

6 Yearling Steers, extra good;

3 Yearling Heifers;

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All implements used on a well-regulated farm.

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Silk Mufflers, a truly fine assortment of beautiful patterns.

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READY FOR CHRISTMAS, ARE YOU?

It's the part of wisdom not to delay your preparation until the last week. Better begin now, when you can do it more leisurely. The whole store has caught the

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And you are welcome to inspect an array of useful and beautiful gifts, such as is seldom your good fortune to see. It's a stock to enlist the interest of every taste and satisfy the

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THE BOURBON NEWS

S. D. MITCHELL, - - EDITOR

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Two printer traps, on a Winter's day,
Slept in a stable on the hay,
They lost their hats, also their shoes,
So they advertised in the Bourbon News.
Their things to them were returned, they
say,
And will always believe that an "ad"
will pay.

CORN WANTED.—Highest market
price. E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

REMOVED.—Mrs. Rachel Ashbrook has moved from the jail residence to the old Burr property, on High street, which she lately purchased.

JACKSON DAY.—Wednesday was Jackson Day all over the county, but very few knew it in Paris. In the larger cities it was observed by patriotic citizens.

NEW "ADS."—Attention is directed to the new advertisements in this issue of Daugherty Bros., agents for Kodaks, and C. B. Mitchell, fresh Baltimore Oysters.

DANGEROUSLY ILL.—Mr. George G. White, one of our oldest and best known citizens, is dangerously ill, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Fithian. He is threatened with paralysis.

HELLO BILL.—All members of the lodge of Elks are urgently requested to be present at the regular weekly meeting on next Tuesday night. Business of importance to be transacted.

THE "J. & M." Shoe for Gentlemen is in a class by itself. For comfort and durability, they are seldom equalled and never excelled. \$5.00 and \$6.00 a pair.

CLAY'S SHOE STORE. (7jan2t)

SEWER WORK.—The sewer men are in Pleasant street between Second, and Fourth streets, and are pushing the work ahead. Under the circumstances they have done some good work, and little or no time has been lost.

NEARING COMPLETION.—The brick building just below the Court House, being erected for the use of the county officials, is nearing completion and will soon be ready for them to move in. Although a temporary structure, it is a most substantial building.

NEWSPAPER CHANGE.—Mr. W. P. Walton, on Wednesday, purchased a controlling interest in the Lexington Democrat from R. L. Baker and Jouett House. Mr. Walton is recognized as one of the best newspaper men in the state, and will make a good daily of the Democrat.

THROWN FROM A WAGON.—Houston Rion, the accommodating ticket agent at the L. & N. Station, was thrown from a wagon in front of the opera house, on Tuesday evening, badly spraining his wrist and one of his thumbs. He now does his work with one hand.

VERY TASTY.—The show window of Mr. Geo. W. Davis, the furniture dealer, on Main street, is attracting the attention of passers-by from time to time. The artistic work shown in the decorations of the windows is done by Mr. George R. Davis who is certainly an artist in this respect.

A GOOD PLACE.—There is only one place to go when you want a good smooth shave, a hair cut or a shampoo, and that place is at Carl Crawford's barber shop. His assistants are polite and gentlemanly and their work is always the best. His bath rooms are in perfect working order.

DOES IT PAY?—Mayor Perry called at this office on Monday night and inserted an advertisement of a "Lost Dog." On Wednesday, a party read the notice in the paper and returned the dog to him. This is one of the many instances, where a two or three line notice in our paper has been the cause of lost articles being returned to their owners. THE NEWS always guarantees good results to its advertisers.

DON'T VIOLATE THE LAW.—Pot hunters should remember that the quail season closed with the new year, and that there in a fine of \$3 for each bird killed or found in one's possession, and there is no good reason why anyone violating the law should not be punished. If any man really loves quail and quail hunting, he ought to be a friend of the bird, and help preserve him.

GILL CASE AFFIRMED.—In the Civil Court of Appeals of Texas, on Saturday last, the case of Turner W. Gill, guardian, vs. Jacob Everman, guardian of the Gill heirs, was affirmed. By this decision, the children of Miss Mary Gill, of this county, through their guardian, Jacob Everman, recover about \$5,000 that has been in litigation in the Texas courts for several years. Denis Dundee, of this city, represents Mr. Everman, the Kentucky guardian.

For the Benefit of the New Elk Home.

Mr. Edward Fick and C. B. Bailey, representing the National Promoting Company, of Cincinnati, have been in the city for several days and have arranged with the local lodge of Elks to give a big minstrel show for the benefit of the new Elks' home building that is to be erected in this city in the Spring. These gentlemen come highly recommended, and lately gave an entertainment for the Elk lodge at Richmond, which was most successful in every respect. The performance to be given in this city will be at the Grand Opera House, on Friday evening, Jan. 24, and will be participated in purely by local talent. Some of our most prominent young society men have volunteered their services and it will be, without doubt, the very best that ever happened.

A handsome souvenir program will be gotten out with a few advertisements of some of the leading firms, and Messrs. Fick and Bailey will call on our merchants and explain the good work.

The order of Elks never do anything by halves, and we predict that with the interest already manifested by its members in this entertainment, that it will be a howling success.

Further particulars will be given later on.

IF its Shoes you are looking for, look at our Men's \$1.50 and \$2.00 Shoes. If any store offers you as good leather, style and workmanship for less money, don't buy ours. CLAY'S SHOE STORE. (7jan2t)

FIRE TEST.—Edward Hite, of the local fire department, gave a test yesterday on the public square of the Neptune Deluge Set. A hydrant pressure of 80 pounds was used and a 1½-inch stream was thrown from the Neptune nozzle to a height of 100 feet. The Neptune Deluge Set was next tried at 1½-inch, 1¾-inch and 2-inch stream, was thrown a great distance. The 2-inch stream was thrown a distance of 218 feet. A small boy handled this stream with ease. The advantage derived from this new nozzle is that it will deliver water to a greater distance and large streams can be used and one man can handle it with ease. But with the old style nozzle, it takes two and three men to control it. This device should be used in all cities, for with this deluge of water, no fire could live.

THE snap and style that many a more expensive Shoe lacks is in the "Walk-Over" Shoe, for Men. They give comfort and ease. They are honest Shoes that give wear and satisfaction. \$3.50 and \$4.00. CLAY'S SHOE STORE. (7jan2t)

The Mid-Year Missionary Meeting.

The mid-year missionary meeting planned for by the special committee, composed of the Presiding Elders and representatives from the Epworth League, Mission and Sunday School Boards, has been in session at the Methodist church, in this city, for several days past and closed last night. It was probably the greatest meeting of the kind ever held in the Kentucky Conference. The opening exercises were conducted by Rev. John R. Deering, of Lexington, and an address was made on "The Missionary Idea," by Rev. J. S. Simms, of Lexington.

The ministers and delegates in attendance, there being about fifty, were well cared for and entertained by our good people, who did all in their power for their comfort and pleasure while guests in our city.

Among the ministers attending the Missionary Conference, there are three old Confederate Veterans, Rev. John R. Deering, Lexington; Rev. George W. Young, Georgetown; Rev. C. J. Nugent, Harrodsburg.

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PERSONAL MENTION

—Miss Pattie Letton is visiting Mrs. R. A. Woolums, at Richmond,
—Miss Chorine Kern is visiting Mrs. Thornton Phillips, in Winchester.

—Misses Annie and Louise Clay visited relatives in Lexington on Tuesday.

—Miss Mae Rion, of this city, is visiting Mrs. N. H. McNew, of Carlisle.

—J. W. Cromwell and R. H. Willis, of Cynthiana, was in the city this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Ware, at Cynthiana.

—Mrs. Pierce Winn, of Mt. Sterling, has been the guest of Mrs. Jess Turney.

—Hon. E. M. Dickson was in Lexington, on Wednesday, on professional business.

—Miss Loretta Burke, of Covington, is the pleasant guest of her uncle, Rev. E. Burke.

—Mrs. Bettie Bowden and son, Dwight, are visiting her brother, J. K. Allen, in Winchester.

—Miss Carrie Smith, of Cynthiana, has been the guest of the Misses Hanley, of this county.

—Mrs. J. W. Slade went to Falmouth Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. David Slade.

—Rev. Felix K. Struve, of Cynthiana, attended the Missionary meeting in this city yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Willis, Jr., in Clark county.

—Mrs. Artie Ashbrook and Mrs. J. C. Deadman, of Cynthiana, visited friends here on Wednesday.

—Miss Blanton Collier, of Cynthiana, who has been the guest of friends here, has returned home.

—Mrs. Ollie Current Spears began instructing her dancing class in Carlisle last Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Womack and children, of Paris, visited Mrs. Sallie Mynehir, at Mt. Sterling.

—Mrs. Charlotte Davis, of Lexington, who has been the guest of Mrs. Eliza Davis, has returned home.

—Mrs. Addie Cobb and daughter, of Maysville, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Omar Lytle, on South Main street.

—Mr. Tom Buckner will entertain the "As You Like It" Club with a german, at his home next Wednesday evening.

—Misses Laura C. Smith and Cara Houston attended the swell party given by the Misses Ammerman, of Cynthiana.

—Mr. Samuel James and granddaughter, Matilday James, visited the family of Mayor Kennedy, at Carlisle, this week.

—Mrs. Sam Summers and little daughter, of Paris, were the welcome guests of the family of Dr. T. Ribelin last week.—Elizaville Correspondent Fleming Gazette.

—Manager Robert S. Porter, of the Grand, was in Carlisle and Millersburg, on Wednesday, working up the "Way Down East" matinee, for tomorrow afternoon.

—Miss Hines, of Youngstown, O., Miss Ann Wallace, of Versailles, and Miss Alexander, of Paris, who have been the guests of Miss Eliza Hunton Caldwell, returned home Monday.—Dauville News.

—Mr. George Clayton, of Masedoni, Iowa, is visiting his brother-in-law, John Honicomb, of this county. Mr. Clayton formerly resided at Millersburg, and has been away from home for twenty-five years.

—Dr. H. H. Roberts, who has been a valued friend and physician in this vicinity for a number of years, has decided to locate in Lexington for the practice of his specialties—the diseases of the stomach and diseases of children. We heartily recommend this popular family to the people of Lexington, and feel that Dr. Roberts will prove quite an addition to the professional service in Lexington, of which order he has been so faithfully connected here. Dr. Roberts began the practice of medicine in this county about fifteen years ago and up to the time of his departure for Europe to perfect himself in his profession, his practice increased year by year until it was necessary for him to take in a partner. His success both professionally and financially was due to the fact that he was not only an eminent physician but a Christian gentleman, having been an officer in the Christian Church for several years and only resigns his place in the church to make his home elsewhere. It is with regret that the people of Paris and Bourbon county give this family up, but with much pride do we speak of them as belonging to us.

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CHURCH CHIMES.

Elder Lloyd Darsie's subject for next Sunday morning will be "Great Is the Mystery of Godliness," and the evening subject will be "Some Present Aspects of the Temperance Question."

Dr. C. K. Marshall, formerly of Paris, and now pastor of the Bowing Green Christian church, has decided to go to Monterey, Mexico, to make his home and will leave for that country some time in February.

Rabbi Adolph Moses, of Louisville, died of paralysis of the heart Tuesday night.

Having been abandoned as an agency for "washing their sins away," the old Methodist Church at Augusta has been bought by a laundryman, and it will now be used for washing the people's clothes away.

Sunday, January 12th, will be Epworth League Rally Day throughout Southern Methodism.

Rev. J. A. Heath, charged with illegally obtaining a divorce from his wife in order to marry another woman, was expelled from the pulpit and church in Kansas City.

The women have won in the long struggle for official recognition in the conferences of the Methodist church.

AT AND BELOW COST!

All Cloaks, Furs, Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits. Separate Skirts, Etc., Must Go.

I desire to close this line as soon as possible, so as to settle up the estate of G. Tutcker, deceased. Take advantage of this opportunity and buy now.

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For particulars, inquire of DAUGHERTY BROS., Local Agents.

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R. S. PORTER, - - MANAGER.

- TELEPHONE 440. -

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The Great Crescent City Quintette.

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"The Senator and Judge."

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IS NEARING A CRISIS.

The Venezuelan Insurgents About to Attack Carupano.

It is Reported That the Rebel Vessel, Libertador, Has Captured the Gunboat Zumbador, of the Venezuelan Navy.

Willemstad, Island of Curacao, Jan. 7.—(Via Haytien Cable.)—Shortly before midnight Sunday night a steamer, believed to be the Venezuelan revolutionary steamer *Libertador*, passed several times before this post, signaling to people ashore. Answering signals appeared to have been received from the shore, and it is asserted that the last members of the revolutionary expeditions who had assembled on this island, embarked on board the *Libertador* and should have been landed early Monday morning on the Venezuelan coast, near Vela de Coro.

Later in the day it became definitely known that Gen. Riera, the Venezuelan insurgent leader, and all the other insurgents who had assembled here, embarked on board the *Libertador* during the night and landed on Venezuelan soil Monday morning near Vela de Coro, with arms and ammunition.

It was reported Monday that the *Libertador* has captured the Venezuelan gunboat *Zumbador*. The gunboat, *Zumbador* of the Venezuelan navy was originally a tug named *Agosto*.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Jan. 7.—Gen. Pedro Ducharme, a Venezuelan revolutionary leader, with sixty followers, has sailed from Trinidad for Guiria, on the Venezuelan coast, where hundreds of other insurgents are ready to move under his command against Carupano. Carupano is about 75 miles away from Guiria.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, Jan. 7.—The Ecuadorian government has sent a sailing force, led by the commissary general, to the eastern frontier to take possession of Ecuadorian territory, recently invaded by Peruvian authorities. In the meantime official representations are being made to the Peruvian minister of foreign affairs.

THE OLD LIBERTY BELL.

The Relic on Its Way to the Charles-ton Exposition.

Philadelphia, Jan. 7.—The old liberty bell, accompanied by Mayor Ashbridge and an official escort of city councilmen and city department heads, started on its journey to the Charles-ton exposition at 8 o'clock Monday morning. As the special train left the Pennsylvania railroad station a salute of 21 guns was fired at the League Island navy yard. The bell is scheduled to arrive at Charleston at 10 o'clock next Thursday morning.

Hagerstown, Md., Jan. 7.—The old liberty bell was given a hearty welcome by the mayor, city officials and nearly the entire population Monday. Two thousand school children sang "America" and other patriotic songs as the train rolled into the depot.

INVITED TO CHARLESTON.

Daughters of the American Revolution Will Visit the Charleston Fair.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 7.—The South Carolina Daughters of the American Revolution, through Mrs. W. H. Richardson, state regent, have visited the delegates to the annual convention, which meets at Washington on February 22, to visit Charleston on February 27. This invitation has been accepted by a large number of delegates, among them the president general, Mrs. Fairbanks, and the ex-president general, Mrs. Manning.

The D. A. R.'s have also invited Adm. Schley and Capt. Hobson to be present on that occasion and address the daughters and their friends and the invitation has been accepted by both Adm. Schley and Capt. Hobson.

Adm. Schley Calls on the President.
Washington, Jan. 7.—Rr. Adm. Schley called at the white house Monday by appointment and spent nearly an hour in conference with the president. The admiral refused to discuss the conversation, saying that it was of a personal character. The president also declined to intimate the nature of the conference.

Two Killed on the Crossing.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 7.—While attempting to cross the Louisville & Nashville railway tracks in a wagon at Hendersonville, Sumner county, Monday afternoon, Thomas and Robert Summers, farmers, were struck and instantly killed by a southbound freight train.

Took Morphine.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 7.—Frank Hickman, a young man of a prominent family of Gallatin, Tenn., has committed suicide at Chickasaw by taking morphine. Only recently he came to Chickasaw from Tennessee. No cause is known for his suicide.

Re-Sentenced to Death.

Hampton, Va., Jan. 7.—Judge Sydeney Smith Monday re-sentenced Munro Lewis, colored, to hang on February 7 next, for the murder of Albert Prickett, a Fort Monroe soldier. This is the fifth time Lewis has been sentenced to hang.

Three Children Roasted Alive.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 7.—Three children were burned to death in a burning house in the suburb of Springfield Monday morning. Their mother, a colored cook, locked them in a room and went to her work.

MANY MINERS ENTOMBED.

It is Feared That They Have Perished in the Negaunee Mines.

Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 8.—Fifteen or more men were entombed in the Negaunee mines Tuesday afternoon, and it is feared all will perish. The work of rescue was begun without delay. There are two shafts to the mine, but it is believed all chance for escape was shut off when the cave-in occurred.

From the condition of the shaft it would seem that the men are surrounded by a large mass of dirt and broken timber. The lower portion of the shaft is so badly twisted that the cage will not operate within 80 feet of where the men are entombed.

Thirty men were working on the level during the morning, but the majority of them went to the surface to eat their dinners, those later caught under the debris having taken their lunch with them.

A dull roar and a sound of crashing timbers nearly 500 feet under ground gave to the men on the surface the first indication of the disaster. A rush was made for the shaft and when all had quieted down volunteers descended in the cage in an attempt at rescue.

It was found, however, that the shaft was badly damaged, it being impossible to get within 80 feet of the level in which the men were buried.

Cries for help were heard at the lowest point reached, and the removal of the timbers, which blocked the way showed a man who shortly before the cave-in had occurred had started for the surface. He was uninjured, but was drenched to the skin and suffering greatly with the cold. The man could throw no light on the fate of his associates, the majority of whom are thought to be Italians and Finlanders.

The steam pipes leading to the underground pumps were so damaged that it would be impossible to operate the pumps, even if possible to reach them, as the mine is the wettest in the iron country, and the shaft is making water very fast.

The flooding of the mine would result in great loss to the company and would necessitate a suspension of mining work for some time.

A big force of rescuers working in relays is making desperate attempts to get to the damaged level before the water reaches it.

If the workers are not rescued within the next ten or twelve hours all hope of getting them out alive will be abandoned.

TWO TRAINMEN KILLED.

A Head-End Collision Between Two Trains Near Alnwick, W. Va.

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 8.—A head-end collision on the Kanova division of the Norfolk and Western railroad occurred at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning, in which Hugh Smith, an express messenger and baggagemaster, of this city, and Flagman John Turner, of Bluefield, W. Va., were killed. The accident happened near Alnwick, W. Va. Train No. 4, a passenger train east-bound, collided with an extra west-bound freight train. The passenger train was on time and the freight was delayed. The freight train sent Flagman Turner to hold the passenger train at Alnwick, but owing to the heavy fog the engineer of the passenger train did not see him, and the flagman, in his efforts to be seen, got on the track in front of the train, was run over and killed.

The two trains came into collision just east of Alnwick. Both engines were badly damaged.

COAL LANDS SOLD.

Eastern Capitalists Purchase 12,000 Acres in Fentress County, Tenn.

Knoxville, Tenn., Jan. 8.—Col. C. H. Treat and Judge J. W. Haws, of New York, and W. S. Taylor, of Philadelphia, have bought 12,000 acres of fine split bituminous coal land in Fentress county, Tenn., and will develop it. The land is within 20 miles of the Tennessee Central railroad. This land was bought about 18 years ago by Dr. J. R. Spencer from Mrs. Clemens, the mother of "Mark Twain." It lies on the Obed river of "The Gilded Age," and in that section Mark Twain spent many years of his early life. The deal involves many thousands of dollars, but the consideration was not made public.

The Roosevelts Reception.
Washington, Jan. 8.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt gave a reception at the white house Tuesday night in honor of the diplomatic corps. It was the first formal evening levee of the season and the first at which President and Mrs. Roosevelt have been the host and hostess. A full representation of the diplomatic corps made the affair notably brilliant.

Johns Hopkins University.

Baltimore, Jan. 8.—A committee of ten members of the faculty of Johns Hopkins university to plan the details of the quarter-centennial celebration to be held in Baltimore on February 22, was announced Tuesday night. President Emeritus D. C. Gilman is the chairman.

The Lock-Step Abolished.

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 8.—Warden Jewett, of the Kansas state penitentiary, has abolished the lock-step in the marching of convicts. He made the announcement to them in chapel. The warden has decided to march the prisoners by fours, like soldiers.

Capital Increased.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 8.—At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Westinghouse Machine Co. the capital stock was increased from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000. The increase was made to provide additional working capital.

A PHILIPPINE BILL.

Measure Providing for Temporary Government in the Islands.

It Gives the President Authority to Regulate and Control Interisland Commerce During Armed Resistance in Any Part.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Senator Lodge, chairman of the committee on the Philippines, Tuesday introduced a bill for a temporary government of the Philippines, drafted after many consultations with war department officials directly interested in insular affairs and the government of the Philippines. The bill will not be made a part of the Philippine revenue bill which has passed the house, but will be an independent measure. The bill does not attempt to establish a new form of government in the Philippines, but confirms the action of President McKinley in creating a commission and ratifies the acts of that commission and authorizes the president to issue instructions under the instructions of the president, dated April 7, 1900. It also gives the president authority, while there is armed resistance in any part of the islands, to the United States to regulate and control interisland commerce.

Section 4, following the Porto Rican act, gives the government of the Philippines power to improve the harbors and other instruments of commerce, and section 5 also following the Porto Rican act, turns over to the government of the Philippines all lands, devoted now to public use, bridges, highways, etc.

Under section 6 the government of the Philippines is empowered to make rules and regulations for the disposition of public lands, other than timber and mineral lands, such regulations to have the force and effect of law only after they have been approved by the president and congress.

Then follows a series of provisions to enable the commission to perfect the title of persons now occupying public lands and to lease and sell lands to such persons as give them to occupants without compensation. This is to provide for the small native land holders who are occupying public lands but who have no titles to protect them in their holdings.

Next comes provisions in regard to the timber lands, which are not to be sold or leased by the commission, who have power only to issue licenses to cut timber under the forestry regulations now in force in the islands.

One of the most important provisions in the bill is that empowering the Philippine commission to purchase the lands of the religious orders and dispose of them on proper terms to the actual occupants. An appeal from the supreme court of the islands to the supreme court of the United States is provided in certain cases. Municipalities and the city of Manila are authorized to borrow money and to issue bonds for municipal improvements. There are two sections which provide for the granting of franchises, so that individuals or corporations can go into the islands and construct electric and steam railroads and engage in industries and manufactures. The granting of franchises is safeguarded by provisions based on the corporation laws of Massachusetts.

Provisions are embodied for establishing a coinage system on the lines of Special Agent Conant's report. The final sections of the bill make provisions for a banking system and authorizes banks of the United States to be established in the Philippines.

OPEN AIR TREATMENT.

The Annual Report of the Massachusetts State Sanitarium.

Boston, Jan. 7.—The open air treatment for persons in early stages of consumption is shown to have been efficacious to the extent of about 67 per cent. of the cases which were treated during the past year at the Massachusetts state sanitarium at Rutland, according to the annual report made public Monday. There was but one death during the year and the percentage of cures or marked improvement was considerably higher than for two years past.

There were 1,100 applications and 399 were admitted. The average age of the patients was 28.

Lord Kitchener's Denial.

London, Jan. 7.—The war office, on the authority of Lord Kitchener, Monday evening denied the report telegraphed from Pretoria, January 1, that two officers of the intelligence department who were sent to parley with Boers who desired to surrender near Warm Baths, were treacherously shot by concealed Boers.

Measles on the Wisconsin.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Surgeon Gen. Van Rynen has been informed of a slight epidemic of measles aboard the Wisconsin, while she was out in the Pacific, but does not regard it at all serious, as he has no further report since the vessel arrived in American waters.

Brought Back From Canada.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 7.—Detectives left here Monday night for Brooklyn with Alfred Ayres, the youth who disappeared with \$2,000 in gold, it is alleged, from the Union bank of Brooklyn. He decided not to resist extradition.

Brumbaugh to Resign.

San Juan, P. R., Jan. 7.—Martin G. Brumbaugh, Porto Rican commissioner of education, who is now in Philadelphia, has sent a letter to Secretary Hartsel, here, in which he says he will shortly resign his position.

CAUSED STRAINED RELATIONS.

Fights Between American Sailors and Russian Soldiers in China.

Peking, Jan. 9.—While the actual casualties during the fighting at New-Chwang between American sailors belonging to the United States gunboat Vicksburg, which is wintering there, and Russian soldiers attached to the garrison of that port are trifling up to date, the matter has resulted in unpleasantly strained relations between the American, Russian and British authorities there. The Washington and St. Petersburg governments are now endeavoring to arrange matters so that there may be no further friction.

Fights occurred whenever American or British sailors met Russian soldiers and the latter, not being accustomed to fist fights, were usually badly worsted. This condition of affairs culminated on New Year's day in a more serious affray and the Russian minister here, M. Paul Lessar, complained to Minister Conger that two members of the Vicksburg's crew had fired a revolver at an offending Russian soldier wounding him in the arm.

Relations between the American and British consuls and naval commanders and the Russian administrator at New-Chwang are strained, which makes a friendly settlement of the affair difficult.

The administrator attempted to enforce social code which the foreign officials refused to recognize, and consequently, their relations have been limited to strictly official interviews and these have not been amiable.

The memorandum presented by the Russian minister to the United States minister here related to various alleged assaults committed by Americans. On one occasion, it was asserted, three sailors attacked a sentry, and owed their lives to the sentry's forbearance in not exercising his right to shoot.

The administrator demanded that the United States consul try the offenders, but the commander of the Vicksburg wrote a curt refusal.

Minister Conger is endeavoring to restore friendly relations at New-Chwang. He is urging the United States consul there, Henry B. Miller, to co-operate with the Russian authorities in suppressing and punishing violence. The steps taken are, however, seriously handicapped by the action of the Russians, who refuse to allow foreigners to use the telegraph line.

SUMMONED SUDDENLY.

Multimillionaire Marcellus Hartley Is Dead of Heart Disease.

New York, Jan. 9.—Marcellus Hartley, director in some of the largest corporations of New York, and whose fortune is estimated as among the largest in the city, died almost instantly from heart disease Wednesday afternoon at a meeting of the executive committee of the American Surety Co. Mr. Hartley was apparently perfectly well when he entered the board room. Just as Chairman Johnson called the meeting to order Mr. Hartley was seen to collapse.

He was placed upon a sofa and medical aid summoned, but he expired in a few minutes. Mr. Hartley was 74 years of age.

TOOK PERPETUAL VOWS.

A Mother and Daughter Enter the Ursuline Convent, Springfield, Ill.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 9.—At the Ursuline convent here Wednesday Mrs. J. King and her daughter, Miss Katherine King, of Niles, Mich., took perpetual vows before Vicar General Hickney. Mrs. King is a widow and is so greatly attached to her daughter that when the latter entered the convent here about two years ago, the mother, rather than be separated from her daughter, followed her into the convent and ended by taking perpetual vows Wednesday with her.

ARGENTINA AND CHILI.

The Last Incident Between the Two Countries Settled.

Santiago de Chile, Jan. 9.—(Via Galveston.)—The last incident between Argentina and Chili has been settled. The protocol between the two countries, which was signed December 25, remains unaltered. Both Argentina and Chili have made declarations which bring about a perfect mutual understanding. Chili has declared her intention of reorganizing her navy. She will sell three of her present war vessels. These will be replaced by new ships.

President Zelaya Re-Elected.

Managua, Nicaragua (via Galveston, Tex.), Jan. 9.—The count of the presidential electoral vote took place Wednesday, and President Zelaya was re-elected unanimously for another four years.

Every Bone Was Broken.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 9.—The 20th death in the great 22-story Frick building occurred Wednesday. John Curtis, an ornamental worker, who came from Boston, fell 17 stories and every bone was broken.

Observed Jackson Day.

Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—A small circle of the younger democratic lawyers of this city observed Jackson day by giving a dinner Wednesday night at the Hotel Bellevue. James W. King, well-known among the younger lawyers, presided.

Sick Woman Suicided.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 9.—Mrs. John Cole, of Nottoway county, shot her self while confined to her bed. Placing the pistol against her left breast just above the heart she fired the shot which caused instant death.

UNITED STATES

SENATOR THURSTON,

RETURNED TO PEKING

Entrance of Chinese Court an Exhibition of Oriental Splendor.

A Sharp Contrast to the Old Regime When Neither Diplomats Nor Natives Were Permitted to View Passing Royalty.

Peking, Jan. 8.—The re-entrance of the Chinese emperor to Peking Tuesday was the most remarkable episode in the annals of the dynasty, save the flight of the Chinese court when Peking was bombarded by the allied forces.

The spectacular phases of the return of the court exceeded expectations. The cortege was a sort of glorified lord mayor's show, and was a bewildering barbaric exhibition of Oriental tinselled splendor. Its chief significance was the complete effacement of the traditional deification of Chinese royalty. Foreigners were given greater facilities of witnessing the ceremonial than would have been afforded them at most European courts. The scene at the Chien gate when the emperor and the dowager empress entered the temple to offer thanks for their safe journey, was nothing less than revolutionary when viewed in the light of all Chinese customs. The horseshoe wall, forming the ancient gate, was crowded with Europeans, diplomats, army officers, missionaries, ladies, photographers and correspondents. When the emperor and the dowager empress arrived at the temple, the procession halted and their majesties alighted from their chairs, which were covered with imperial yellow silk and lined with sables. The emperor proceeded to the temple of the God of War, on the west side of the plaza, with hundreds of foreigners peering down only 40 feet above him, and dozens of cameras were focused upon the Son of Heaven. When he returned, his chair was borne through the gate.

Then the chair of the dowager empress was brought to the door way of the temple of the Goddess of Mercy, on the east side of the plaza, and the dowager empress appeared. Amid a great scuffling of attendants she proceeded into the temple on the arms of two officials, followed by a company of Buddhist priests, bearing offerings. The spectators then heard the booming of the temple bell. After an interval of five minutes, the dowager empress reappeared. Standing in the doorway of the temple she looked upward. Directly overhead were the German minister, Dr. Mumm von Schwartzenstein, the secretaries of the German legation, the officers and ladies from the American garrison and correspondents. The dowager empress saw the foreigners and bowed low. She advanced a few steps and bowed again in acknowledgment of the salutations of the foreigners. She returned to her chair looking upward to the semi-circle of foreign faces, and bowing repeatedly.

In the meantime the Chinese soldiers, Manchu bannermen and minor officials who had crowded the plaza, were reverently kneeling. The two arches at the sides of the ancient gateway framed hundreds of faces of Chinese coolies, who, emboldened by the presence of foreigners, ventured to gaze upon their rulers. This incident constituted a most sharp contrast to the old regime, when neither diplomats nor natives were permitted to view the passage of royal personages along the streets.

The expression of the dowager empress seemed almost appealing as she faced those who had humbled her and brought her down from her former arrogance, and this confirmed the impression that she is returning to Peking with anxiety for her safety.

Business Portion Burned.

Logansport, La., Jan. 8.—Fire that started in the general merchandise store of H. B. Lilles Tuesday afternoon burned the business portion of the town, consisting of 33 buildings. Total loss, \$125,000; insurance, \$75,000. The fire originated from a defective flue. Those whose losses exceed \$10,000 are: R. W. Carway & Co., stock, and buildings, \$27,000; H. B. Lilles, stock and building, \$17,000; Robinson & Oden, stock, \$17,500.

Literally Blown to Atoms.

Philadelphia, Jan. 8.—An explosion of dynamite occurred in a contractor's tool house beside the Pennsylvania's tracks in West Philadelphia. "Doc" Mullen, a watchman employed by P. M. McManus, a contractor, was literally blown to atoms, and a dozen persons living in the vicinity were cut by flying glass from shattered windows of their houses.

Found Dead in Their Yard.

Philadelphia, Jan. 8.—The bodies of Joseph Caskey, sr., aged 60, and Joseph Caskey, jr., aged 36, were found Tuesday night in the yard of their home at Camden, N. J. Both had been shot and a revolver was found by the side of the elder man. None of the circumstances of the shooting are known.

Secretary Long to Resign.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Secretary of the Navy John D. Long will, for personal reasons, resign from the cabinet next April or May. The probabilities are that President Roosevelt will offer the portfolio to Gov. W. Murray Crane, of Massachusetts.

Elks to Care For Elks.

Jamestown, N. Y., Jan. 8.—N. W. Cockey & Sons, one of the largest manufacturing concerns in this city, is financially embarrassed. The shoe factory of the company has been closed.

NOTABLE WEDDING.

Daughter of Senator Foraker Married to Francis King Wainright.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The marriage ceremony which united Miss Julia Foraker, daughter of the senior senator of Ohio, with Francis King Wainright, of Philadelphia, was performed in the handsome residence of Senator Foraker, on Sixteenth street, by Rev. Dr. Mackay Smith, of St. John's Episcopal church, and was witnessed by only a small company of friends and relatives. Five hundred guests attended the reception following the wedding.

The large white and gold ballroom of the Foraker mansion was lavishly decorated in Easter lilies and tropical plants and trees.

The bride, on the arm of her father, entered and was received by the groom. Mr. Clement Wainright acted as best man.

Miss Foraker wore a bridal costume of ivory white, with point lace yoke and sleeves, and a tulip veil caught with a spray of orange blossoms.

The ceremony was in accordance with the full Episcopal ritual. After the marriage a breakfast for 20 of the intimate friends of the bride and groom was served in the yellow room. The draperies were in gold, and the floral effects were carried out with yellow and white orchids.

Bouquets of violets for the ladies and boutonnieres for the men were at each plate. At the buffet luncheon served to the guests at the reception in the dining room the decorations and furnishings were in green and red. Wreaths of holly and long streamers of red silk ribbon were tastefully arranged about the apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wainright, after a bridal trip, will reside at Bryn Mawr, Philadelphia, where the former is erecting a residence. Senator Foraker presented his daughter with a diamond crescent, in addition to which about 400 gifts have been received by the couple.

The groom is a son of Joseph Reeves Wainright, president of the Pennsylvania Chemical Co., of Philadelphia, and a Princeton '99 graduate.

HIS TERRIBLE FATE.

Skeleton of a Recluse Found in the Desert Near Fillmore, Utah.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 9.—A skeleton scattered and gnawed by coyotes and half buried in the sand was found Wednesday several miles out in the crater-like desert near Fillmore, in the southern part of the state. In the rags which once covered the clothing of the man were discovered \$175 and papers which identified the skeleton as that of Nicholas Paul, an aged recluse who formerly lived at Fillmore, and who disappeared about a year ago.

QUARRYMEN KILLED.

Three Met Death By the Explosion of a Big Charge of Dynamite.

Connellsville, Pa., Jan. 9.—The explosion of a big charge of dynamite brought death and destruction to Bluestone quarries in the mountains, a mile from here, Wednesday evening. Three Italian quarrymen were killed and buried deep in the great avalanche of earth that followed the explosion. Another man was buried 150 feet through the air, down the steep cliff of the quarry. He still lives.

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH.

The House Caught Fire During the Parents' Absence.

Franklin, Pa., Jan. 9.—Two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Philip McKim were burned to death and the house destroyed by fire near Coal City, three miles south of this city. The mother of the children had gone to visit a neighbor and in her absence the house caught fire. Five years ago the McKim house was destroyed by fire and three of their children were burned to death.

THE BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Jan. 9.—The battle of New Orleans was celebrated everywhere in this city and its vicinity Wednesday, except at the battlefield. The Daughters of the American Revolution, who have taken charge of the spot, instead of their annual pilgrimage, gave a banquet, with women speakers.

THE DISPUTED TERRITORY.

London, Jan. 9.—Col. Sir Thos. Holton and a staff of engineers have been authorized to proceed immediately to South America to inspect the territory in dispute between Chili and Argentina in behalf of the arbitration tribunal formed in 1898, with the object of facilitating the decision of this tribunal in the matter.

CREMATED HIS WIFE IN AN OVEN.

Saint Etienne, France, Jan. 9.—A pastry cook named Tantale had a quarrel with his wife and killed her with a revolver. He thrust her body into an oven under which he lighted a fire. He then committed suicide. The calcined remains of the woman were found in the oven.

WANT TARIFF DUTIES REDUCED.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Secretary Root has referred to congress a large number of cablegrams received by him from nearly all the mercantile associations in Cuba, appealing for legislation reducing tariff duties on imports from Cuba.

CAPT. CARINA SENTENCED.

Vienna, Jan. 9.—Capt. Carina of the cavalry, whose trial on charges of divulging military secrets to the French government began here Tuesday, has been sentenced to four and one-half years imprisonment.

COLLIDED IN A TUNNEL.

Fifteen People Killed and About Thirty Injured.

John Wisch, Engineer of One of the Trains, Is Blamed For the Terrible Accident and Has Been Placed Under Arrest.

New York, Jan. 9.—In the New York Central railroad tunnel that burrows under Park avenue, this city, two local trains collided Wednesday. Fifteen passengers were killed and twice that number were injured. A dozen of the latter were seriously hurt, and the roster of the dead may be extended.

It was a rear-end collision between a South Norwalk local and was halted by block signals at the southern entrance of the tunnel and a White Plains local that came by the Harlem branch of the New York Central. The wreck occurred at 8:17 a.m., at which hour the train was crowded by suburbanites. Most of the death, injury and damage was wrought by the engine of the White Plains train, which plunged into the rear car of the motionless train, and was driven through to the middle of the car, smashing the seats and furnishings and splitting the sides as it moved forward. The victims either were mangled in the mass of wreckage carried at pilot, crushed in the space between boiler and car sides, or scalped by steam which came hissing from broken pipes and cylinders. The engine in its final plunge of 40 feet carried the rear car forward and sent the twisted iron, broken timbers and splinters crashing into the coach ahead.

Ladders were run down the tunnel air shafts and the firemen and police attacked the debris with ropes and axes. Passengers already had rallied and were trying to release those imprisoned in the debris. Father Smith and Rev. Dr. Walkley, chaplains of the fire department, crawled in over the wreckage and ministered to the dying. Lieut. Clark, of the fire department, forced his way to the point where two ladies, Miss Rice and Miss Scott, lay, and stood in water that scalded the flesh from his limbs until the women were released. T. M. Murphy, passenger, both of whose legs were broken and still held by the timbers, volunteered to remain as he was until those around him were assisted.

Two policemen and Chaplain Walkley reached Mrs. A. F. Howard, and the chaplain gave her a stimulant. The policemen were cutting away the seat which held the woman down when a pipe broke. The scalding steam drove them back and when the rescuers returned Mrs. Howard was dead.

Responsibility for the disaster is unfixed, but Superintendent Franklin said that so far as he had been able to discover John Wisch, engineer of the White Plains train, is to blame. It is declared that when the South Norwalk train stopped a flagman ran back into the tunnel, and, besides placing a torpedo on the track, endeavored to flag the on-coming train. The tunnel was clouded with steam and smoke, while the snow, which fell through the air shafts, tended to obscure the view. Engineer Wisch and Fireman Christopher Flynn were arrested. A signal man also was detained for a time but was released.

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SIX PERSONS SERIOUSLY INJURED NEAR SHINNSTOWN, W. VA.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Jan. 9.—A rear end collision Wednesday evening on the Monongahela division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, near Shinnston, resulted in the serious injury of six persons and wrecking of two engines and a mail and baggage car. All of the injured were taken to the Clarksburg hospital. An open switch was the cause of the accident, it being left open after a freight had sidetracked for the passenger, which came along at a high speed and crashed into the freight with the above result.

AN OPEN SAFETY PIN.

A LITTLE CHILD COUGHED UP ONE HE HAD SWALLOWED TWO MONTHS AGO.

HURON, S. D., Jan. 9.—A little child of John Woodward, of Volga, coughed up an open safety pin it swallowed nearly two months ago. The child had been able to take but little nourishment and had been given up to die by its parents, who did not know, until the pin was dislodged by a violent coughing spell Wednesday, what was causing the little one to waste away.

GORMAN NOMINATED FOR SENATOR.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Jan. 9.—Arthur Pue Gorman and Chairman Murray Van Diver of the democratic state central committee, were selected as the democratic nominees for United States senator and state treasurer respectively at the democratic caucus held here Wednesday night.

THE EMPEROR'S NEW YACHT.

BERLIN, Jan. 9.—The German foreign office is delighted with the excellent effect produced in the United States by Emperor William's request that Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of President Roosevelt, christen his new yacht now building on Staten island.

"CRIMPING" OF FRENCH SAILORS.

PARIS, Jan. 9.—According to the Courier de Soir, M. De Lancenay, French minister of marine, has appointed a commission to inquire into the reports of the "crimping" of French sailors at Portland, Ore.

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Senate—The senate met Monday after a recess of more than two weeks, but no business was transacted owing to the recent death of Senator William J. Sewell (N. J.). In his invocation at the opening of the session, the chaplain, Rev. William Milburn, made touching reference to the death of Senator Sewell. He referred also to the disability of Senator Berry (Ark.) and prayed that he might be able to soon attend to his duty in the senate. Mr. Keane (N. J.) formally announced the death of Mr. Sewell and offered the customary resolutions expressive of the sorrow of the senate and providing for an immediate adjournment in respect to his memory. As a mark of respect to his memory the senate adjourned at 12:07 p. m., immediately upon the adoption of the resolutions.

House—The house transacted no business Monday. Immediately after it met Mr. Loudenslager (N. J.) announced the death of Senator Sewell, and after the adoption of the customary resolutions, the house, as a further mark of respect, adjourned until Tuesday. A bill to re-establish the army canteen was introduced by Representative Kern (Ill.).

Washington, Jan. 8.—Senate—The first notes of the contest between the Nicaragua and Panama routes for the isthmian canal were heard Tuesday. Mr. Morgan offered and secured the adoption of a resolution which indicated his purpose to have the committee on inter-oceanic canals inquire into the relations alleged to exist between the trans-continental railroad companies of the United States and Canada and the Panama Canal Co. Among the bills introduced were: Providing for erection of a post office building in New York, and appropriating \$2,500,000 towards this purpose; requiring that contractors carrying the mail of the United States shall be able to read the English language; increasing pension ratings received while in the line of duty; authorizing the carrying of sealed packages through the mails at the rate of one cent an ounce; appropriating \$3,000,000 for the erection of a building to be located on Jackson place in the city of Washington and to be used jointly by the state department and the department of justice; for a memorial arch in honor of the late President McKinley.

House—The debate on the Nicaragua bill in the house was opened in lively fashion Tuesday by Mr. Hepburn, chairman of the interstate and foreign commerce commission, which reported the bill. Bills introduced. Repealing all of the increase taxes under the war revenue act; to amend the war revenue act by striking out the stamp tax on bills of lading, manifests, etc.; permitting crude petroleum and other oils to be transported from one port to another of the United States in vessels other than those belonging to the United States.

Washington, Jan. 9.—During consideration of private pension legislation some important statements were made by Mr. Gallinger, chairman of the committee to govern it in consideration of private pension bills. He announced that none but absolutely meritorious cases would be presented to the senate for its consideration and that the closest scrutiny would be given by the committee to every bill introduced.

He said that no pension exceeding \$50 a month would be recommended by the committee for the widow of a general officer, and that pensions for the widows of other officers would be scaled down proportionately.

House—The debate on the Nicaragua canal bill developed sentiment in favor of giving consideration to the recent offer of the Panama Co. to sell its franchises and property for \$40,000,000. The following bills were introduced: For the payment of pensions monthly instead of quarterly, as at present; for an international board of engineers from Mexico and the United States to adopt plans for irrigating the Rio Grande valley; creating a fifth assistant postmaster general. It gives the new assistant charge of the free delivery system, rural and city, and fixed his salary at \$4,000 annually; appropriating \$17,000 for the officers and men of the army who suffered less in the Galveston cyclone in September, 1900.

SCHLEY'S APPEAL.

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Where's your penny? Save it. The sale given you at our Notion Counter proves that every penny is worth something. Here are goods you use every day. They don't cost much, but you've got to have them. Cost you less here than elsewhere:

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Chewing Gum.....	1c a package
Tailors' Chalk.....	.5c a doz
Carpenter's Chalk.....	.8c a doz
Coat Buttons.....	.10c a doz
Carbon Paper.....	.5c
Drawer Pulls, with brass handles.....	.8c
Alcohol Stoves, each.....	.15c
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Note the savings on this partial list of the offerings and judge the rest of the stock by them:

Thimbles.....	6 for 5c
Hair Oil, a bottle.....	.5c
Blank Dice, each.....	.25c
Colored Crayons.....	.10c a box
Slate Erasers.....	.2 for 1c
Dog Collars.....	.5c
Pompadour Coims.....	.9c, .14c and .23c
Nickel-plated Reading Glasses, each.....	.45c
Dish Mops.....	.7c
Talcum Powder.....	.5c
Shoe Soles, a pair.....	.10c
Shoe Leather, per pound.....	.34c
Fire Kindler, no danger, a package.....	.3c

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Woodenware:

Nursery Clothes Racks, 3-fold, each.....	.29c
4-fold, each.....	.69c
5-foot Step Ladders.....	.39c
6-foot Step Ladders.....	.49c
7-foot Step Ladders.....	.59c
Roll Toilet Paper, a roll.....	.3c
Wood Clamps.....	.4c
Heavy 10-oz. mops.....	.10c
4-prong Hat Racks.....	.9c
Stocking Darners.....	.5c
Enamelled Steel Wash Boards.....	.27c
3-prong Towel Racks.....	.9c
Towel Rollers.....	.9c
Chair Seats.....	.5c
Thermometers.....	.5c

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No shunting off between seasons here. The public is always ready to buy if the prices are right. No month in the round year holds so many bargain surprises for you as this very month of January. Note the offerings for the next for weeks, and prove by investigation that we state facts. Another sale of Fancy Lamps and the last chance at prices like this:

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\$4 Vase Lamps, extra large globes, brass feet, brass fronts, best Rochester Burners, with center draft, at only.....	\$1.98

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Friday the Sale of the Season.

We have gathered here a collection of all that is good. Our modern merchandising way isn't satisfied waiting for trade, but creates it. We have secured many special values in desirable goods that we can afford to price extra low to stimulate early selling. Not an unworthy specimen in the lot. The quantities are limited. By coming early you will have the choice.

The following are striking examples:

60c Jardineres.....	.39c
80c Jardineres.....	.49c
\$1 Jardineres.....	.69c

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James Hicks, a prominent iron manufacturer of Cincinnati, died in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, in New York, of blood poisoning. He went to that city a week ago. A few days later he was licking an envelope, when the sharp edge of the paper cut his lip, and blood poisoning set in.

"I had a running sore on my leg for seven years," writes Mrs. Jas. Forest, of Chippewa Falls, Wis., "and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it." Beware of substitutes. —Clark & Kenney

An English paper gives what it terms "thirteen mistakes of life."

It is a great mistake to set up our own standard of right and wrong and judge people accordingly.

To measure the enjoyment of others by our own.

To expect uniformity of opinion in this world.

To look for judgment and experience in youth.

To endeavor to mold all dispositions alike.

To look for perfection in our actions.

To worry ourselves and others with what cannot be remedied.

Not to yield in immaterial matters.

Not to alleviate all that needs alleviation as far as lies in our power.

Not to make allowances for the infirmities of others.

To consider everything impossible that we cannot perform.

To believe only what our finite minds can grasp.

To expect to be able to understand everything.

The Evolution of Warships.

A man need not be a scholar to be an inventor. One of the most successful aeronauts of old times who had made a study of aerial currents and the management of balloons once delivered an address in which he referred to "the anaconda" as "the largest bird that ever flew," and he also remarked that "the mental faculties of a man's mind is so constructed as to bring things down to a pin's point." He also referred to the currents of air as stretchers, meaning strata, and yet he was one of the foremost balloonists of his time.

He was an inventor also of many useful things and was the first man in the country to suggest an ironclad man-of-war with sloping sides. He built a miniature vessel on this plan or sheet iron, placing it in the water and fired musket balls at it at short range. Every ball glanced off. The Merrimac was built on a similar plan, and from that humble beginning the evolution or revolution in naval architecture took its start.—Baltimore Sun.

A Tall Smoke Column.

During the burning of the Standard Oil company's tanks at Bayonne, N. J., in July, 1890, an immense column of smoke, shaped at the top like an umbrella, rose into the air, where very little wind was stirring, to an elevation, measured by triangulation, of 13,411 feet, or more than two miles and a half. Above the column white clouds formed in an otherwise cloudless sky and remained visible for two days, the fire continuing to burn and the smoke to rise. After the explosion of an oil tank flames shot up to a height of 3,000 feet, and the heat radiated from them was felt at a distance of a mile and three-quarters, where it was more noticeable than close to the fire.—Youth's Companion.

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